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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Dale Blackson, et al.**

Confirmation No.: 9612

Application No.: **09/776,503**

Art Unit: **3624**

Filed: **February 2, 2001**

Examiner: **Geoffrey R. Akers**

Title: **System and Method for Dispensing Digital  
Information from an Automated Transaction Machine**

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed July 18, 2003, rejecting claims 1-86.

**1. STATUS OF APPLICANT**

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

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